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DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For Governor, November 6th.
FOR CONGRESS, JAMES H. MCCREARY, of Madison County.
FOR COUNTY CLERK, JAMES R. BURNAM.
FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY, J. T. COBB.
FOR COUNTY CLERK, JOHN F. WHITE.
FOR SHERIFF, JOSHUA F. SIMMONS.
FOR JAILER, JOHN F. WAGGERS.
FOR ANCHORMAN, PLEAS R. BROADBENT.
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FOR SECRETARY, E. F. CROCKE.

THE CHINA JAPAN MURDER.

The United States has been mentioned as a peacemaker between the belligerents. War is all times deplorable, and yet it has always been the cause since the foundation of the world, that arrogance and the assumption of powers to which they were not entitled, and countless other reasons have been and are urged as excuses for engaging in the destruction of each other by the human race. While mankind has, there will be strife and enmity the one with the other. The feeling that exists between the people of Japan and those of China is not of new origin, although it was intensified by certain acts of the Chinese in Korea. It is well known fact that the Dynasty which has for so many years dominated over and ruled China is not of the people over whom they rule, but from a former dependency, Manchuria.

The territory comprised in the Empire of China is enormous in extent. China Proper alone, which is only about one-half of the area, contains 1,248,570 square miles. Double this and we have 2,497,140 square miles, a territory teeming with population, aggregating to the best information at our command, over 40,000,000. In the year 1902, the Japanese invaded Korea, and were for a time successful, that the Emperor was about to proclaim himself King of Korea, when his forces were unexpectedly defeated by the Chinese and a peace arranged. Again in 1907 they entered into Korea, and for the space of four years held independent possession of the peninsula, when for some reason they evacuated the territory and it reverted to the control of the Chinese government. As we have said there has for ages been a feeling existing between these nations and now they have again come together to try the fortunes of war. It would appear that the proper way would be to let them fight it out, but there has already been an enormous loss of life, and if of much longer continuance, the war is likely to engulf all of Europe. It is therefore to be hoped in the interests of humanity, that some settlement can be reached that would save the world from this disaster and the breaking up of relations that although at times strained, are not without the existence of some outward cause, liable to disturbance.

There is no doubt but on the part of the United States would be acceptable at this juncture, and we think that the belligerents would also avail themselves of the opportunity to honorably end a war so unbecoming as this has proven. It was also the policy of this government to keep clear of the quarrel and strife in the old countries, but the interests of our people in these countries are of such a nature, that a watchful care must be maintained, and will be. The evident design of the Emperor of Japan is to crush his powerful rival by a most severe punishment, and it is by a division of its vast territory into three kingdoms or empires, but all to be tributary to Japan. The question now agitating the minds of those in authority among the Powers is, shall we allow Japan, a hitherto insignificant and half-civilized nation to reach the great eminence to reap the reward of their efforts. It is thought they will not, but will on some pretext interfere and have a hand in the dismemberment of this great empire. A short time will tell the story. Both of the belligerents have large armies in the field now facing each other. In the event Japan is once more successful steps will be taken with all probability to intervene the whole civilized world.

Two weeks ago a negro by the name of Wm. Dolby criminally assaulted a white lady, Mrs. Mary C. Boyd, at Parrot's Station, in Fayette county. He was arrested and brought into court at the county seat, Washington, D. C. on the 17th and pleading guilty was given the full extent of the law, 20 years in the penitentiary. After the identification of Dolby by the victim an angry mob collected about the jail and court house and attempted to take Dolby from the officials, at that time he was removed to the court house for trial. This was prevented by Sheriff James Cook who had called to his assistance the local militia company and a detachment from Columbus, who freely used their bayonets and shotguns. No one was seriously hurt. The Sheriff and his prisoner and guards were kept prisoners in the court house until evening, when the mob made an attack and

is agitating the country more than any other—the tariff. Both parties cannot be correct. This, everybody knows. The fact is, there are Democrats who believe the Republican doctrine of high protective duties is correct, and there are Republicans who believe the Democratic doctrine of free trade correct, though few, of either party will admit it. No man should let prejudice or party spirit prevent his voting for the party that he believes will bring the greatest good to the greatest number of his countrymen, if instructed with power.

It is interesting to note the trend of the conviction of the minds of men. How hard we try to persuade ourselves a thing is true, or a principle or measure correct, if we see, or think we see, something in it to benefit ourselves, whether it does anyone else or not. Every man being bent to justify his profession, his business, whether others than himself are benefited by that business or not. Our selfishness, largely shapes our views. Thirty years ago the people of the North believed, and do yet, the institution of slavery to be sinful. The people of the South just as conscientiously believed it heaven-ordained. Thirty years ago by and by and rejoice that slavery, as an institution, is dead. Right, justice, are not fettered by geographical boundaries. But the judgment of human kind is wonderfully fettered by selfishness and prejudice. Look at the sugar planters of Louisiana, fighting the doctrine of protection just a short while ago, and having tasted the sweets of protection directly, they now come out boldly in its favor. All protective duties were wrong till they got them on, and now they are right. Very true, protection becomes right almost instantly. Look at the coal and iron men, look at protected interests toward every point of the compass. They all believe it to be right; (except Tom Johnson, and if he had no selfish motive, he is a hero.) Now, when for a fact, there has been a financial distress, and the protection of the country has been so busy, from the Richmond Tariff, (that non-partisan paper) to ex-President Harrison, so industriously attributing all the tariff policy of the Democratic party, many, no doubt, feel like asking, as did Plato, "What is truth?"

Now I will say what I started out to say, as regards the tariff and the farmer. But, I will also say, I do not know anything about "classifications and schedules," as regards the tariff. Nor is this necessary. Neither is there anything new to tariff reformers in what I am going to say. But let me say, not one in a hundred of either party understand, how the price of all the agricultural products, is fixed in a free trade market. This is not new to reading, thoughtful men, but the great mass are not that kind. I think the majority of men are able to see clearly enough, how the protective duty adds to the cost of an article, of either home or foreign manufacture, but why agricultural products must be sold at free trade prices, is no clearer to them than mud. Nevertheless it must be true; it is impossible for it to be otherwise under such circumstances as our country is placed in. We will take wheat to illustrate, which will answer for everything else we export.

A dealer in wheat is buying for export to Liverpool. He pays the Liverpool price at Richmond, less the cost of transportation from Richmond to Liverpool. Say wheat is worth 65 cents in Liverpool. Say it costs 14 cents to ship from Richmond to Liverpool, and the exporter must have a profit of 1 cent, making 50 cents in the price at Liverpool, and at Richmond. The price at Richmond is 65—15=50 cents. That establishes the price of all the wheat in Madison county. I go to my neighbor for wheat for my own use. He asks me 55 cents, and I point to the price at Richmond, which is the market price, and he is compelled to take it. He sells at all. What is true of wheat of export, is true of all other products of export, in any part of the country. Thus, it is clear, that what is exported, wheat, cotton, beef, or anything else, fixes the price of all consumed in the United States. The tariff adds not one single cent to the price of anything the farmer sells.

Mr. Labin, of California, admits all this, though a Republican, and has sent out thousands of pamphlets, admitting this truth, but proposing to help the farmer by having the government pay transportation charges on exports, and to raise the price at home. He is trying to get the Republican of California to adopt his plan. He admits that the farmer is thus made to pay the expenses of the government that the prosperity of the agriculturalist will be destroyed, and as it is the basis of all other prosperity, hence, the ruin of our country under a high protective policy, would be inevitable. However, his scheme is artificial, and its cost never be regulated to justify benefit all. We may run factories, and work hands by the million, and still the price of our wheat, beef and cotton, or anything else, will not be increased so long as we have more to sell than we can consume at home.

May we not reasonably attribute the low price of wheat to the high protective policy adopted by our country, in shutting England out of our markets and causing her to encourage India and Egypt to adopt improved machinery and thus become our competitors in the world market? The protective policy is in answer to this, depriving these two propositions, as explained in the foregoing, viz: First, the farmer pays higher prices for manufactured goods by reason of protective duties. Second, the farmer has nothing added to the price of what he sells by reason of protective duties, will confer a great favor on

part of the roads made liable to get in bad condition worked first and worked well, rather than attempt to work them all, and all parts of them the same year? The work would stand longer, and then do great damage to work all parts from year to year as needed. I do not think it a good idea to try to work all parts of the roads in one year, so that by the same time next year they will be in about the same condition as before the work was done.

Now, when a road is made narrow between the ditches, and the ditches shallow and narrow, when a heavily loaded wagon passes over it when the soil is wet, the wheels sink into the road, and there being such a short space between the wheels and the ditches the soil is pushed toward the ditches and soon into them, and more dirt is left in the road than on each side, in a short time.

Again, when roads are first bedded, or graded, the soil being loose, a few days travel will depress the center below the sides and water will stand in the road, or run along the tracks of the wheels and do great damage. Would it not be better to have each road gone over in a short time after it has been bedded and these depressions filled, so that when the soil becomes packed, they will be, at least, as high as any other part?

Again would it not be well, if the county is to make its roads, to employ men on the roads making to give general directions for making them? And would it not be well for him to pass over the roads, note their condition after the work is done and receive only those worked satisfactorily? A man of this kind, with a practical eye, would quickly discover defects, and suggest the remedy, and a more novice, however honest and capable in other things, would never discover them.

Now, I have written thus, not by any means expecting that what I have written is all or the best that may be said on the subject, but to provoke thought and suggestion on the part of others, for if the roads are to be kept in order at the county's expense, (and I understand they are) by all means let us not throw away anything, but make our roads as good and durable as we can at the least possible expense.

MONTHLY CROP REPORT.

There has been no material change in the condition of the corn crop since my last report. The weather has been fine for drying and maturing the crop. Cutting is progressing well, and wheat sowing has commenced. In many localities the crop is good, and where it has been shocked for feeding purposes the yield is fully up to expectations. The government report for September makes a bad showing for corn. Mr. Henry A. Robinson, "the U. S. Statistician," says, excepting the month of September, 1881, the lowest yield of corn for any month in 1894, is the lowest on record. In the month of September, 1881, it stood at 60 against the present month, record 63.4. In all the surplus corn States, with the exception of Illinois, the decline from the August condition is very decided. All the Southern States showing good gains and all report fine crops. A special report from eight Western States shows that out of an aggregate of 40,753,984 acres planted, there has been an increase or cut up for fodder in round numbers 15,000,000, or 38 per cent. The Statistician estimates this abandoned area to amount to about 20 per cent of the entire acreage planted in the United States. The average condition of corn in Kentucky is placed at 54.2 per cent.

REBATE.
The indications are that there will not be a large crop of wheat sown this fall, the rains come too late to prepare the land for plowing, and the very low price has discouraged the farmer from planting a large crop. Some are substituting barley and others rye. Very much of the corn crop is being fed to hogs, which will be a vast saving to the corn crop. I have asked the correspondents in this month as to the average yield per acre this year. The average is placed at 14.5 bushels, and all agree that the quality is superior grade, and is placed at 96 per cent.

RYE.
The rye crop of the largest producing States, namely, Pennsylvania, New York and Wisconsin, show a very fair crop. The indications are that there will be a larger crop raised in Kentucky next year than usual. The crop has been so small that it has been difficult to get a very accurate report. The average yield per acre is placed at 14.3 bushels. The quality of the grain is placed at 91 per cent.

OATS.
The average yield per acre is 22.7 bushels. The average quality is placed at 87 per cent. The government Statistician says "that as this is the last report on this crop for the present season, it may be taken as indicating a crop considerably below the average."

BARLEY.
The average yield per acre for barley is 24.2 bushels. There will be a larger acreage of barley sown this year than usual. The government report shows the lowest September average during the last ten years.

POTATOES.
The early crop of potatoes made a fair yield in most localities, but the late crop very much reduces the average. The average condition of the crop on October 1st is 70.3 per cent.

THE MONEY from the sale of hogs is more generally distributed among farmers than that of any other class of stock. I have, therefore, tried to get as full a report from all over the State as possible as to the amount being fed to a hog. From all reports there will be a shortage of 15.7 per cent. From the government report to the number of stock hogs is 10 per cent, as compared with last year. In the Western States the drought, and the most severe, hogs are being driven to more favored localities for feeding, and pigs are being very little cared for. The county of Monroe "reports cholera raging among the hogs, and some diseases from other counties are reported."

CATTLE.
I inquired this month as to the average number of cattle for feeding purposes. A general resume shows that there is a deficit in number of 12 per cent.

GRASS.
Grasses of all kinds are reported very short in many localities; all kinds of grass has not grown as it was thought it would have done since the rains commenced. Rains have not been abundant in many counties. Some correspondents report stock water very scarce.

NICHOLAS McDOWELL, Commissioner.
October 8, 1934.

CORRESPONDENCE
TERRILL.
Mr. A. J. Hoise, our young attorney, has been ill.

Mr. A. M. Terrill has returned from a trip to Winchester and Mr. Sterling.
Mrs. A. P. Settle is spending a few days with Mrs. Hazlewood at Annyville. Corn cutting is now over and farmers are giving their attention to wheat sowing.

The charming Miss Mollie Settle is visiting friends in Bourbon and Clark counties.
The Rogersville boys are preparing for a football team. We wish the boys success.

What is the trouble with some of the neighbor boys, that one starts out on the back way when he sees another coming in the front way?
A successful meeting is being held at Mr. Zion church, conducted by Rev. J. Reynolds. At this writing fifteen confessions have been made, and it is hoped that many others will follow the example of the new converts. I believe that Satan has had complete control of Terrill as long as the Lord intends that he shall.

PASOLA.
The petroleum men are nearly ready to begin drilling.
The woods were full of chestnut hunters Saturday.
Miss Elbert Wagers has been quite sick, but is improving.

The persimmon crop is excellent, the corn crop hardly an average.
A great number of cross ties have accumulated here and will be loaded soon.

VALLEY VIEW.
Mrs. H. B. Laid is visiting her sister, Mrs. Asher Newby, at Covington this fall.
Misses Flora and Nellie Chamberlain, of Richmond, visited Miss Fannie Lee Newby, on "Queensbury Heights," Sunday.

Jas. A. Miller, of near Pine Bluff, Arkansas, who has been visiting his brother, D. B. Miller, at Perkins, returned home Thursday.
A. C. Buchanan, J. E. Greenleaf, Richmond, Ky., Oct. 1, '94.

Are you insured? Powell & Turley.
An elegant new Chickering Piano for sale. Apply at this office. 15-
Don't neglect your insurance. Powell & Turley. 3-2
What about your insurance? Powell & Turley. 3-2
Insure that big barn. Powell & Turley. 3-2
A blaze will start. Powell & Turley. 3-2

"I would rather trust that medicine than any doctor I know of," says Mrs. Hattie Mason, of Chilton, Carter county, Mo., in speaking of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. For sale by W. F. Powers and T. S. Hagan, druggists.

Every mother should know that croup can be prevented. The first symptom of true croup is hoarseness. This is followed by a peculiar rough cough. If Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is given freely as soon as the child becomes hoarse or even after the cough has developed it will prevent the attack. 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by W. F. Powers and T. S. Hagan.

Deafness Cannot be Cured.
By local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition hearing will be destroyed forever. Nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give one hundred dollars for any case of deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.
E. C. GOSNEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O.
Sold by druggists, 75c.

Awarded Highest Honors—World's Fair.
"DR. PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER"
That is made in the State at \$2 per gallon, delivered anywhere in the city. We also have 15-year old whiskey for sick people, wines, beers, brandies, etc., and everything kept in a good home. Call and see us. Joe Mitchell will wait on you with great pleasure.

FARM WANTED.
Small farm near the city. Not over 30 acres. Must be well watered. Apply at the CLIMAX office at once.

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Scrofula
Miss Della Stevens, of Boston, Mass., writes: "I have always suffered from Scrofula, for which I tried various remedies, and many reliable physicians, but none relieved me. After taking 6 bottles of S. S. S. I am now well. I am very grateful to you as I feel that it saved my life of untold agony, and shall use S. S. S. in all my future ailments, and shall use it in recommending it to all who are afflicted with the wonderful medicine, and its power in saving lives."

S. S. S. Cured
Treatise on Blood and Skin Diseases mailed free.
SWIFT SPECIFIC COMPANY, ATLANTA, GA.

CONFECTIONERY
For a good breakfast, dinner or supper for 25 cents call on
MRS. H. MAIER,
NO. 21 FIRST STREET.
Fresh Oysters, Pig's Feet, Mackerel and Herring. Also Mince Meals, Apple Butter, Mixed Pickles and Dried Fruits at REASONABLE PRICES!

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Come before the people of Madison county with a full line of Boots, Shoes, etc., and are determined to

GIVE
There is no medicine so often needed in every home and so admirably adapted to the purposes for which it is intended, as Chamberlain's Pain Balm. Hardly a week passes but some member of the family has need of it. A toothache or headache may be cured by it. A touch of rheumatism or neuralgia quitted. The severe pain of a burn or scald promptly relieved and the sore healed in much less time than when medicine has to be sent for. A sprain may be promptly treated before inflammation sets in, which involves a cure in about one third the time otherwise required. Cuts and bruises should receive immediate attention before the parts become swollen, which can be only done when Pain Balm is kept at hand. A sore throat may be cured before it becomes serious. A troublesome corn may be removed by applying it twice a day for a week or two. A lame back may be cured and several days of valuable time saved, or a pain in the side or chest relieved without paying a doctor bill. Procure a 50 cent bottle at once and you will never regret it. For sale by W. F. Powers and T. S. Hagan, druggists.

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We are assured that when you have seen our large stock, and our choice from it, that you will consider that you have
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Full consideration and fair treatment in return for your money.

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TABLER'S PILE BUCK EYE OINTMENT
CURES NOTHING BUT PILES.
A SURE AND CERTAIN CURE known for 15 years as the BEST REMEDY FOR PILES.
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NOTIONS.
25c bottle cologne 10c
10c
Tablets 13 and 50c
Thimbles 12 each.
Plus 12 paper
Needles 12 paper
Tape 1c
Hair pins 12 box
Hair curlers 4c
Ink 4c
Nucilage 4c
Collar buttons 2c
Tacks 12 paper
Safety pins 2c
Window shades 5c
Lace curtains 49c
Poles complete 15c
Ribbon 1c yard
Children's school handkerchiefs 3c
Soap 3c and 5c
Harp 2c
Heath brooms 10c
Craysons 5c box
Teaspoons 4c set
Tablespoons 6c
Balls 5c
Hammers 5c
Pail with two keys 5c
Fine brass lock 25c
Oil cloth 15c yd.
Caps 10 and 25c
Ladies' hats, 25 and 40c
Children's 40 and 25c.

NEW FALL AND WINTER GOODS
Are What We Are Now Offering!
During the past four weeks we have been opening
NEW GOODS
Every day. Never before was our stock so complete. Never before were we able to offer such an array of un-heard-of
BARGAINS!
Our stock of Dress Goods, Trimmings, Domestic Goods, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Notions and Clothing is larger and more complete THAN EVER BEFORE.
Boots, Shoes, Blankets, Comforts, Canton Flannels and Flannels at Prices never heard of before.
Don't wait until you go to
ELDER'S
He will save you money.
With every purchase of \$1 ask for that KEY. It may be worth \$25 to YOU.

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In the wild, eager rush for bargains at our great
SEASON OPENING SALE!
Those who have waited, are now getting their reward. You have the advantage of Our Years of Experience in Buying, and our ability to buy low is so well known as to need no comment save : : : : :
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20 MINUTES
: : : : : Spent in our Store will enable you to enjoy HOURS when you get the items home and examine them fully. Sit down, take a pencil, make a memorandum of about what you want, take an early start, get here before the crowd, and see how much money you can save at our : : : : :
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On the largest and best line ever in Richmond, of Dry Goods of all kinds, Clothing of all kinds, Furnishing Goods of all kinds, Hosiery of all kinds, Flannels of all kinds, Blankets of all kinds, Hats of all kinds, Carpets of all kinds, Cloaks of all kinds, and on all kinds of goods that you know are usually kept by the wide-awake, go-ahead leader,
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AT
J. W. DUNCAN'S
OLD STAND
We will keep on hand and for sale
ALL KINDS OF FRESH MEATS,
—SUCH AS—
The Very Best Beef, Pork, Lamb, Veal, Country and City Bacon, Sausage and Lard, And will sell at lowest prices. Also headquarters for
ICE! ICE! ICE!
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TAKE NOTICE.

All persons indebted to the CLIMAX are requested to call at the office and settle their accounts. Accounts that matured prior to January 1st, 1894, excepting subscriptions, must be settled with J. H. Powell. Later accounts and all subscriptions must be settled with S. F. Rock.

—Subscriber to the CLIMAX—\$1.50 from date until January 1, 1895.

—Lookout for Weckesser's announcements in the Register next Friday morning.

—Miss Judge Benton, daughter of Dr. C. C. Smith, is improving. She has been very low with typhoid fever.

—Geo. Pickels & Co. have advertised to sell some valuable property in Irvine Saturday—business lots. Sale positive.

—A. E. Hood and family have moved to Valley View, where he has taken possession under a lease of the Wharton saw mill.

—More Democrats: Born on Thursday, to the wife of Dave Patterson, a 12-pound boy—James B. McCreary—Harrodsburg Democrat.

—Don't fail to consider the advantages of sending your children to the Elliott Institute, at Kirksville. Read Prof. Waldrop's mammoth advertisement.

—John Heathman says that Governor McCreary is gaining strength in Newby district every day, and that the Democrats there expect to carry it for him.

—John Rynd and Sidney Winkler exchanged shots at each other as the result of a quarrel at the C. & O. depot Saturday night. No gore; both parties were arrested but were released on bail.

—Died, at her home near the mouth of Silver Creek, Mrs. M. B. Howard, aged 40 years. Her disease was consumption. She leaves a husband and five children.

You will find the new time card of the R. N. L. & R. in this paper. The trains will leave Richmond as on the former schedule; the train for Irvine goes up and returns in the middle of the day, instead of at night as heretofore.

—Christopher Loggins, of Berea, and Miss Belle King, of Conway, Rockcastle county, were recently married at Conway. Last Wednesday the bride was at Berea hunting her recent spouse, who had deserted her.

—In commenting on the barbeque the Jessamine Journal has the following to say of our lunch: "The Richmond Silver Band, the members at it in nobby new uniforms attracted considerable attention. It is an organization Richmond citizens should feel proud of."

—Considerable dissatisfaction is expressed on account of the excursion train to Nicholasville running by some passengers at one of the stations on Tate's Creek. Also because on the return trip people from points east of Richmond were held over here until the arrival of the regular train east.

—With last week's edition of the Beattyville Enterprise, editor J. T. Richards, severed his connection in a graceful manner. In the end he publishes Mr. R. states that he will try for a position as a reporter for one of the Louisville papers. We wish him success in that or in any other line he may conclude to follow.

—The Enterprise gives the correspondents of the daily papers who reported the turnpike killing and hanging bee, a turning over on account of their strong imaginative qualities which they gave free rein. The Enterprise, however, points the crimes in as lurid colors as they did.

Col. John K. Faulkner, who went to Louisville with the Central University football team Saturday, was injured at Lawrenceburg on the return trip by attempting to get on to a moving train. He was thrown violently to the ground and severely bruised. No bones are broken.

—Married, at the residence of R. F. Wilcox, near Irvine, October 17th, Mrs. Thos. H. Todd and Miss Laura Wagers. Mrs. Todd is a Madison county gentleman. Miss Wagers is an accomplished little lady, daughter of the late G. H. Wagers. The CLIMAX joins with their friends in well wishes.

—F. Weckesser has two important notices in this issue, which every housekeeper in Richmond and Madison county should read and be governed accordingly, that is, if they desire to consult their interests. Groceries are selling at astonishingly low prices at his house. Give him a call and save your hard earned dollars.

—J. A. Ramsey, Junctioner, reports 2,500 cattle on the market at Winchester county court day. Best females, 1,400 pounds, brought 2 1/2 to 4 cents; 1,000 to 1,100 pound smooth steers 3 to 4 1/2 cents; good yearlings 3 to 3 1/2 cents. Demand good for best grades, but the rough grade stuff not in demand. All the best offerings sold, but much that was not very desirable was left over.

—In the suit of Hannah Parfitt's administrator against the City of Lexington and the Southern Construction Company the jury returned yesterday morning a verdict giving the plaintiff \$500 damages. Mr. Kimball, the city attorney, says that the company is willing to pay the city \$25,000, and that they are bound to the city in case any accident happened on their account, and that the city will not be the loser in the amount of the judgment, but that the company will lose it—Lexington Press.

—Matt S. Cohen, of Richmond, Ky., exhibited his string of horses at the following Kentucky fairs this year: Harrodsburg, Richmond, Lawrenceburg, Nicholasville, Versailles, Shelbyville, Lexington, Bardonia, Elizabethtown, Horse Cave, Harford, Owensboro and Greenville—14 fairs, at which he won 138 first premiums, 48 second and nine third, getting in cash \$2,088.95. Mr. Cohen will take a few horses to educate and winter and has on hand at all times some stallions, roadsters, teams and "walk-trot" horses for sale.—E.E.

—Horse Notes. Mr. Charlie Finnell has been offered and accepted the position of trainer for the driving club of Selma, Ala., and has gone to that place to assume his new duties. The salary is a comfortable one. Mr. Finnell's many friends here are glad of his good fortune.—Harrodsburg Democrat.

—Messrs. C. C. Smith and E. M. Hardin have determined to sell Bonnie Winifred at Woodward & Shanklin's sale next week, and they say in the catalogue that he will go only one bit is offered.—Harrodsburg Democrat.

—Powell & Turley, prompt and trustworthy. Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder. Aves and Quill, 224 West 1st St., St. Louis.

Cattle Sold.

Ballard & Dunn have sold to Dr. Hockaday a lot of cattle, 33 in number, at 32 cents. The average was 545 pounds.

The Nutting Excursion.

Miss Lloyd departed 24 of the scholars from the Madison Female Institute on the excursion to Estill county last Saturday. Mrs. Hogg also with a number of her school took the occasion for an outing. A large number from Lexington and many from other points swelled the crowd until it passed the 400 mark. No accident marred the happiness of the day, and it may be chronicled as another of Charley Deane's successful excursions.

A Madison County Element.

Last Wednesday, the 19th inst., John L. Green, of Red House, and Miss Rachel Quisenberry of Boonesboro, eloped to this city. A few friends were notified, and at the residence of Mrs. Bettie Greene, on Winn avenue they were united in marriage. Rev. J. W. Herring officiating. An elegant supper was enjoyed by those present at the conclusion of the ceremony. Mr. Green is a most worthy young man, and his bride is a most excellent young lady. May prosperity attend them is the wish of many friends.—Winchester Democrat.

Democratic Speaking.

McGee, the negro speaker and also editor of the National Blade at Louisville, made a speech last Saturday night to a large and enthusiastic audience. His remarks were plain and homely, directed to the betterment of his own race, and by their seemingly received as such. More such talks would be of benefit to our negro population, notwithstanding the efforts of some of our white Republican friends to tear down and destroy the efforts of McGee to advance and elevate his own race, to whose effort of the Democracy this county says amen.

Caldwell High School.

On a massive stone high up on the front of the colossal new public school building is the inscription, "Caldwell High School." This is in honor of Robert Caldwell who, in 1816, donated the lot, one and a half acres, for a school, and is a decidedly just tribute to a deserving man. Mr. Caldwell was a prominent citizen and one of the promoters of Richmond in its infancy. His wife was a daughter of Christopher Irvine, a noted pioneer, and Rev. James Caldwell, for years an important minister in the Christian Church, was a son.

Keara here.

Mrs. Barbara Allen McFarland, died at her home in Lexington, last week, and was buried in the cemetery at Winchester. She used to visit Miss Mollie Downey, now Mrs. George W. Stockton, when that lady lived with her uncle, Gen. Clark Wm. M. Easley, this place. Mrs. McFarland was the step-daughter of Gen. John B. Huston, and grand-daughter of Clifton Allen, a distinguished lawyer and Congressman, of Winchester. Her husband was Hon. Robt. McFarland, of Owensboro. Only a year or two ago her only child, a son, was drowned in a pond near Lexington.

Mr. Lockhart Complimented.

At the Nicholasville barbeque, among the great crowd who followed Gov. McCreary from Richmond, many of them, as by saying "Your Paris man, Lockhart, delivered a very fine political speech at Richmond last night." Col. Cliff Estill, the 100-year-old bachelor said he had not heard such a fine argument since the days of Garrett Davis or Clay.—Kentuckian-Citizen.

Lockhart, of Paris, delivered a sound and logical political talk to a large audience at the court house Tuesday night. His talk gave evidence that his subject had been studied, and he did it well in hand. He was loaded with facts and figures. Highest Honors Given. For leaving power, keeping qualities, purity and general excellence the World's Fair jury decided that Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder had no equal. On each of its claims it was awarded a first prize and a diploma. All the leading grocers entered for prize were subjected to a most exhaustive examination, and the jury was the best equipped to make the decision of any ever got together. The verdict was supported by the testimony of Dr. H. W. Wiley, chief chemist of the United States Department of Agriculture at Washington. Dr. Wiley is an expert on food products and the highest authority on such matters on American soil. This verdict settles a long debated question as to which among the many baking powders is the best.—Chicago Tribune.

Autumn Leaves and Thoughts.

The woodlands are arrayed in all of the gorgeous colors that nature bestows so lavishly in autumn. The fiery red and brilliant yellow of the maple, mingled with the more somber base of the oak and the green of the evergreen, maintain the most lovely pictures. The varieties of shades are innumerable, and the effect on a beholder, while it bears an after thought of sadness, is that of delight and thankfulness to the divine giver of every good and perfect gift. Who can look upon the glorious scene and not be induced to cast all evil behind him? Who, in seeing vegetation take upon itself the semblance of death, the trees stripped of their foliage, the earth bare, the grass withered and dead, that does not look beyond the grave, and with an eye of faith see the soul clothed upon, by an immortal, or a glorified body, even like in the springtime the trees and earth will be covered with new and beautiful vestures.

Free to All.

We are offering to you, free of charge, up to December 25th, a genuine oil painting, size 22x36, framed in a four and one-half inch gilt or oxidized silver frame. You can have your choice of a variety of subjects. They are all hand painted, by skillful artists, and include landscapes, marine, moonlight and winter scenes, figures, etc., etc. You would value the \$5 or \$10, if you did not know they cost less. We have special arrangements for buying them. That's how we can give them away as we do. When one card is cancelled we will issue you another. You can secure several fine pictures by trading with us steadily. Respectfully, F. W. WECKER, Cash Grocer and Confectioner.

Notice!

The Western Union Telegraph Company have arranged to give bulletins of the election returns to clubs that may be organized at various points. This without reference to politics. An equitable arrangement can be made with the Manager at this place. Bulletins will be furnished until the results have been decided. Get up your clubs and arrange to give us returns from your precincts at the earliest possible moment.

GREAT OUTPOURING OF THE DEMOCRATIC HOSTS AT THE NICHOLASVILLE BARBEQUE.

Thousands Present to Hear the Speeches and Eat the Barbecue.

Long before the appointed hour, the Court-house yard, side-walks, and hotel lawns were filled with the members of the Richmond Democratic Club and their invited guests, all of whom were anxiously awaiting the coming of the train to carry them to the little city of Nicholasville, the pride of Jessamine county. With the hour of 9 o'clock came the train which started from Panama; aboard of it were about 150 from that point, Speedwell, Waco, Moberly and other stations.

Additional cars were added when the train reached Richmond, and soon all were aboard and enroute for the scene of the festivities. The train consisted of five coaches, each was loaded almost to its extreme capacity. Several seats held four persons, and almost all of them, three while the aisles, platforms and steps were crowded with enthusiastic Democrats. Many ladies were provided with seats in the rear car, and formed a pleasant addition to the party. The Richmond Silver Band added to the enjoyment of the occasion by discoursing excellent music. One person who got on the train at Valley View was especially pleased at the reduction of ticket prices, and immediately whipped out a month organ and began a kind of imitation which he kept up until casting his eyes in our direction he evidently read in our eyes the manner he were contemplating, and brought his efforts to a timely close. He afterwards came to us and said: "Mister, that Dixie Land they played was good, wonder if they will play it again?" We suggested that his encore had driven all the music out of their souls.

At about 10 o'clock we reached Nicholasville and promptly disembarked, and started for the town, hand playing, boys hawking, girls singing and everybody large in the expectancy of what was to come.

We did not immediately go to the Fair grounds where the barbeque was spread, but halted along the way reviewing old acquaintances and making new.

At about the hour of noon, in company with ex-cities, French Tipton, the goal was reached, and after sauntering around through the crowd for half an hour, some friends remained so that dinner was ready. We found the place where the viands were displayed without difficulty and in a short time were full to the shirt. The place was large, and the viands were thronging with Democratic fervor—kindly feeling towards the generous friends of Jessamine county, who spread the feast and so carefully attended to our every want.

The crowd from Richmond numbered about 600; some estimates which are said to be based on actual counts—others the number at 700. There were present on the ground about 3,000 persons, and a more orderly crowd of people it would be hard to find.

Cradock was there and joined Tip and y scribe in devouring a large watermelon. This act we found necessary, because of the quantity of hot liquor we had eaten. After a short season the speaking was opened by Hon. John Welch, who for a short time held the attention of the audience by a few well chosen ideas. He then gave place to the Hon. James B. McCreary, who for the space of about two hours spoke fully on the topics of the day, and discussed the political situation in a masterly way. The Governor was received with enthusiasm by the great crowd seated in the spacious amphitheater, who as the eloquence of his speech were reached applauded him loudly. He made many notes among those who were disposed to array themselves against him, but he was not so easily thrown off his feet. He is, it is thought, roll up his old time majority in Jessamine precincts, if he does not largely increase them. Jerry A. Sullivan, of Richmond; Judge Hughes, of Harrodsburg, and Emmett Hoover, of Nicholasville, added to the enjoyment of the occasion by making short addresses.

Gov. Daniel, of Lexington, was escorted and the result was creditable to his established reputation. 1,000 gallons of barbeque was prepared; fifty-six sheep, twelve shots and 300 chickens were slaughtered, and an untold quantity of vegetables used in making the soup. At about 5 o'clock the crowd began to disperse and our trip to the hotel was a long one, loaded with a tired but jubilant crowd. Dr. Roberts was there. Some of his Democratic friends pinned a Democratic badge on the lapel of his coat, and he bore the honors nobly. C. C. Wallace likewise wore two badges and partook heartily of the Democratic soup.

Obituaries.

Bishop George Powell died at his home in Speedwell, Madison county, Ky., on October 11th, 1894, aged fifty-four years, five months and three days. He had been in delicate health for many years, and his demise not unexpected. He lived a devoted life, and was a member of the Episcopal Church South, and will be missed in his community. He leaves a wife, son and daughter and also a brother, Squire J. H. Powell, of Richmond. These brothers were the only survivors of the family of Jerry and Nancy Powell, which consisted of five sons and two daughters.

The funeral services were conducted by Rev. A. Redd, of Richmond, at the home of the deceased. The interment was at the family cemetery near Speedwell. Mourning weeping wife and children. For the one you loved so well. All his trials and trials ended. When he crossed through death's cold wall. Only he prepared to meet him. On the bright and welcome shore. There with wife and child he met three—Partings will be never more. May you all live pure and holy. Work, walk, for Christ the Son, And when Jordan's waves you buffet, You can cry "I'm the victor's son."

It is with regret on our part that we are called upon to record a second death in the family of Clifton Shifflet. Only a short month has elapsed since the family were called to mourn the death of C. D., the younger son. Now Miss Maggie has fallen a victim of the dread destroyer. Miss Maggie died on October 18, 1894, at the residence of her father, four miles east of Richmond, of typhoid fever, age 22 years. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. J. W. Herring, and were held at the residence in the Richmond cemetery. The bereaved friends have the sympathy of the entire community.

Edward Hester died suddenly at his home at Mill Grove on Saturday morning, while engaged in mowing one of his cows. He had no complaint of not feeling well, but was not thought seriously ill. Mr. Hester was 70 years of age, has been a sufferer from rheumatic troubles for a long time, and was a well known citizen, and much esteemed in his locality. He was an ex-member of the County Court. His remains were interred in Richmond cemetery under the auspices of the

Knights' Templar, of which organization he was a member.

Died, at her home at College Hill, Thursday, the 18th inst., Mrs. Sallie, wife of Woodson Lewis; aged 65 years. Mrs. Lewis has been in delicate health for more than a year and her death was not unexpected. Her husband is in feeble health, and will not survive her many days. Mrs. Lewis was the mother of William, Wallace and A. G. Sexton of this county.

Died, Miss Susan, second daughter of Gov. John Young Brown at the Executive Mansion at the hour of 12:20, Saturday morning. Naught that medical skill, or the tender ministrations of friends could do was undone. Miss Brown was 24 years of age, and all who knew her were attracted closer by her christian life and the kindly deeds she was constantly engaged upon for those who were in need. The funeral took place yesterday from the Church of the Holy Name in Henderson.

The Kansas City Times of the 14th inst. contained the following account of the death of a former Madison man: "Oliver C. McWilliams, a well known resident of Kansas City, died at his home, 3115, Troost Avenue, at about 7 o'clock last evening of influenza of the lungs of the throat. Mr. McWilliams was 67 years of age. He had been ill about four months. From the first his condition gradually became worse, and a few weeks ago an operation was performed, which was successful, and he believed he would recover. Friday morning he grew worse and his physical condition announced to the family that the end was drawing near, and a few minutes before 7 he died."

PERSONAL.

Rev. William Crow was in Versailles last week.

Thos. Williams, of Irvine, dropped in on us last Friday.

Mrs. Mary Boggs visited friends in Mt. Vernon last week.

Mrs. W. R. Letcher has returned from a visit at Cincinnati.

Will Bryant, of Shelbyville, was a visitor among friends here last Sunday.

Mrs. J. L. Blanton went over to Richmond Tuesday.—Cynthiana Democrat.

Miss Mayne Rogers, of Sharpshooting, was visiting among relatives here last week.

James King and wife visited the family of Dillard Potts, Estill county, recently.

Mrs. S. B. White was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Rowland, at Danville, last week.

Mrs. Josie Taylor left last Thursday to visit friends and relatives in Lexington and Clark county.

Miss Florence Hood, of Richmond, was the guest of relatives in Lexington this week.—Lexington Gazette.

Mrs. Rosa Simpson and child, of White Hall, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Park, at Irvine.

Mrs. C. C. Wallace and mother, Mrs. Loxon, were guests of Mrs. Andrew Wallace, of Irvine, last week.

V. M. Moore, Auditor of the R. N. L. & R. R. and C. M. Bewing spent Thursday night in Richmond.

Mrs. F. Weckesser and children are visiting friends at Tuscola, Ill. They will return before the holidays.

Mrs. A. J. Cobb, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Mattie, left this morning for their home in Bloomington, Ills.

Lewis Schlegel, Green Turley and Gen. Pickels left Monday for the mountains, on a hunting and fishing expedition.

Mr. S. T. Copeland, Paymaster of the railroad under the receivership of Col. John MacLeod, called at our office on Thursday.

Miss Anne Wagers, of Irvine, a student at Jessamine Female Institute, was a guest last Friday of Mr. and Mrs. Clamie Smith.

Capt. Everett Berry, of Richmond, one of the handsomest people in Kentucky as well as of K. P., was here Wednesday.—Interior Journal.

Mrs. Marie Harris, a very charming and attractive young widow of Lexington, is visiting her cousin, Miss Grace Harker, on the Summit.

Mr. Robert Burnam, of Richmond, was visiting in Lexington Wednesday.—Mrs. W. G. White, of Richmond, was in town yesterday.—Transcript.

Mrs. Cliff Bergin, of Madison county, is visiting Mrs. Mary Stoner. She will next week be the guest of Miss Mary Lou Atkinson.—Bath County World.

Mr. and Mrs. David Myers, of Richmond, attended the barbeque. Miss Mollie Fife, of Richmond, and her mother, came over with the McCreary Democratic Club.—Nicholasville Democrat.

Gen. Barterson Taylor, of Lexington, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Amanda T. Millican, County School Superintendent. He formerly resided in Madison, and was the last Brigadier General appointed under the old militia law before the war.

J. H. and A. P. Snowden visited Dr. J. Snowden, of Waco, last week, who is expected to be very sick but is some better now.

Here, James Prater, of Richmond, was here last Saturday and Sunday, and preached at Log Lick Sunday.—Chilton Cor. Winchester Democrat.

Leo J. Marks, of Lexington, has accepted a position as salesman in Woodstein's New York Store. He is a handsome, polite and accommodating young man, and is a valued addition to Mr. Woodstein's force of salesmen. He is a great favorite with the ladies.

Hiram Jett, of Madison county, was here Sunday on a visit to relatives. Miss Louella White, of Madison county, was the guest of Miss Sarah Thompson the first of the week. Nat Thompson and wife, of Madison county, are guests of Richmond, Mrs. Sawyer, of Wilmore, as Mrs. Poynter, the President, was not able to attend. Many earnest prayers were offered for the success of the meeting, followed by a testimony service. Mrs. H. B. Hogg, of this city, delivered the address of welcome, and the response was delivered by Mrs. Anna Rogers, of Lexington. Mrs. M. P. Perry, the Corresponding Secretary, made her report, which showed great progress. The committees were appointed and the afternoon session was occupied in receiving reports from fifty societies, which were flattering and encouraging. Rev. J. L. Hiley, of Jackson, who has been engaged in the mountain work for the past few years, was present and gave interesting talks upon many subjects. Mrs. P. H. Hoffman read a paper on home mission work, which was much enjoyed by all. Mrs. Sawyer has shown herself an able officer and a true, earnest worker. She has a full rich voice, and is a noble christian woman. Mrs. Virginia Coffman, of Covington, read the Secretary's chair. Mrs. Dr. G. S. Savage, of Winchester, was a prominent character in the meeting. Her cultivated voice was heard upon many subjects. Miss Belle Beaudry figured in the meeting with a beautiful voice, and gave them a beautiful rendition of the Script Bible. Titled at Kansas City, and they many other

Our sanctum was enlivened Wednesday and Thursday by the presence of Mrs. Emma Walker Hester, the accomplished lady, whose writings are well known to the most of our readers. Mrs. Hester was in attendance at the sessions of the Woman's Home Mission. She has for several years edited the Woman's Department in the Central Methodist, and has written largely for the Illustrated Kentuckian and other Magazines and Newspapers. Mrs. Hester is a fact writer, and the productions of her pen are read with pleasure by all.

We were in Richmond for a short while Sunday, and spent a pleasant hour at Central University with Robert Berry. Prof. Akers, one of our old tutors at Washington and Lee, is connected with the University. The students are enthusiastic over the prospects of duplicating last year's brilliant athletic record. The foot ball team plays at Louisville today, and at home Saturday. Gov. McCreary spoke at home Saturday evening and left on our train for Danville. The Richmond people are proud of him. He will of course be re-elected to the Lower House and will be a powerful factor in the Senatorial contest.—Editor Cynthiana Democrat.

Mrs. Eugenia D. Potts has been in Richmond all week working for the illustrated Kentuckian and enjoying old friends. She was the guest of Mrs. Ida Jennings Greenleaf, while there. Mrs. Potts gave an exquisite Autumn Leaf tea at which were present the nine brave women who are conducting the college for girls in Richmond, led by Mrs. Bonnie late of Hamilton College Lexington. Many other prominent women were there. Mrs. Potts was among the guests of home; also Mrs. Hester, who was in the city on a special mission. The Stockton villa was a thing of beauty. The interior looked as if some friendly cyclone had blown the brilliant autumn leaves from the trees into the room, attaching them on curtains and walls and draperies, banking here and scattering there.—Transcript.

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RELIGIOUS.

When the suggestion comes to you to do a kind act—you can't act upon the suggestion too quickly.—Free Baptist, (Main).

If some people had less churchianity and more of Christianity they would make better church members.—Arkansas Baptist, (Ark).

The colored Baptists of this State are not saying much about it but are forging ahead in the education and Christianization of their people.—Banner, (W. Va.).

The Bible rests upon authority and commands; science rests upon reason and argues; both processes are legitimate. The Bible claims to possess truth; science seeks truth.—Baptist Courier, (S. C.).

The Kentucky Conference of the M. E. Church, South, at its last session, held an assessment of \$3,000 for the Wesleyan College at Winchester. The statistics of the Conference as shown by the reports sent up by the various churches, are as follows: Full members, 2,940; increase, 642; probationers, 2,304; increase, 235; local preachers, 172; deacons, 252; children baptised, 510; adults, 148; Sunday schools, 213; officers and teachers, 1,896; scholars, 13,195; full members, 6,182; officers and teachers who are members on probation, 3,800; conversions in Sunday Schools, 398; paid for Sunday School literature, \$2,847; churches, 39; value, \$198,290; parsonages, \$18,185; paid on pastors' salaries, including house rent, etc., \$26,068; paid presiding elders, \$3,800; Episcopal fund, \$107; Conference finances, \$546; paid parent missionary society, \$2,184; Woman's Foreign Mission Society, \$72,506; Woman's Home Mission Society, \$2,847; Board of Christian Education, \$800; Freedmen's Aid and Southern Education Society, \$455; Sunday School Union, \$40; Tract Society, \$44; Children's Day fund, \$211; Conference Board of Education, \$1,490; American Bible Society, \$96; other collections, \$125.

Father Taylor was the pastor of the Seamen's Chapel in Boston. He was a great patriotic man and always kept his sympathies with himself on political questions. One Sunday just before the State election, his prayers for the Commonwealth were peculiarly fervent. He asked that a man might be chosen for a Governor who would rule in the fear of God and never be afraid of the fear of day, and that the people would be free from corruption and do his own party if it yielded to wire-pullers—and suddenly he paused and then exclaimed: "O Lord! what's the use of boxing the compass in this way? Give us George N. Briggs for Governor. Amen!"

The prayer was answered the Tuesday following by the most tremendous and victorious success of a Christian Intelligencer. "The Woman's Personage and Home Mission of the Kentucky Annual Conference of the M. E. Church South met in the Methodist Church in this city Tuesday evening of last week and adjourned the following Thursday evening. The society came into existence by the action of the annual conference of 1888, and since that time it has grown. There were about forty delegates in attendance, who were hospitably entertained in the elegant homes of Richmond. Miss Belle Bennett gave the delegates a cordial reception at her paternal home on Main street Tuesday evening from 5 to 7 p. m., thus giving an opportunity to become acquainted at the beginning of the meeting. After partaking of a delightful repast, they repaired to the church and were greeted by an opening sermon by the pastor, Rev. A. Redd. Wednesday morning the meeting was formally opened by the Vice-President, Mrs. Sawyer, of Wilmore, as Mrs. Poynter, the President, was not able to attend. Many earnest prayers were offered for the success of the meeting, followed by a testimony service. Mrs. H. B. Hogg, of this city, delivered the address of welcome, and the response was delivered by Mrs. Anna Rogers, of Lexington. Mrs. M. P. Perry, the Corresponding Secretary, made her report, which showed great progress. The committees were appointed and the afternoon session was occupied in receiving reports from fifty societies, which were flattering and encouraging. Rev. J. L. Hiley, of Jackson, who has been engaged in the mountain work for the past few years, was present and gave interesting talks upon many subjects. Mrs. P. H. Hoffman read a paper on home mission work, which was much enjoyed by all. Mrs. Sawyer has shown herself an able officer and a true, earnest worker. She has a full rich voice, and is a noble christian woman. Mrs. Virginia Coffman, of Covington, read the Secretary's chair. Mrs. Dr. G. S. Savage, of Winchester, was a prominent character in the meeting. Her cultivated voice was heard upon many subjects. Miss Belle Beaudry figured in the meeting with a beautiful voice, and gave them a beautiful rendition of the Script Bible. Titled at Kansas City, and they many other

responsible positions. Mrs. Emma Walker Hester, of Washington, added to her list of contributions to the illustrated Kentuckian have given her an enviable notoriety. These noble women thoroughly understand their work. Their hearts are in it; they have chosen work and are praying that God will give them great success and crown their labors with love and truth. Rev. Lapley McKee, pastor of the Second Presbyterian Church, spoke on Industrial Schools, which was listened to with much interest. Resolutions of thanks were tendered by the society, as a body, to the loving people of Richmond for their generous hospitality, which they were so graciously entertained, and asked God's benedictions to rest upon them.

Saturday's Slaughter of Groceries and Confections.

Everybody knows that we are selling cheaper than any other house in Madison county, and therefore have a very large and growing trade; but we are just like other people who still want more, and the only way to get more trade is to give more bargains. Every day is a bargain day at our store, but we intend to make Saturday the crowning day of each week. We want to be rushed on that day, because we can rest on Sunday. Now then, remember that hereafter we will sell on every Saturday one certain article at or below cost, thus giving you an opportunity to save a great deal of money. This offer, of course, is open to the retail trade only, as we can not afford to supply our worthy wholesale patrons at such prices when buying in large quantities.

Watch our circulars and the Register every Friday and Saturday for further announcements. Respectfully, F. WECKER, The cash grocer and Confectioner.

Public Speaking.

There will be public speaking in Madison county in behalf of the Democratic nominees to be voted for at the November election, as follows: Tuesday, October 23—J. A. Sullivan and C. L. Seary, at Waco. Friday, October 26—R. W. Miller and W. S. Moberly, at Stapp's Store, and John D. Goodloe and W. B. Smith, at Berea.

Saturday, Oct. 27th.—Senator John D. Goodloe and Hon. J. R. Barram, at Kirksville; Judge John C. Chenault and P. H. Sullivan, at Valley View; William Chenault and J. Tevis Cobb, at Red House.

